



Friday Update January 16, 2009

FRIDAY UPDATE INFORMATION FROM HR

Welcome to our new hires –

Gary West – Recreation Specialist
 John Yaden – Sports Specialist
 Blaine Griffith – Municipal Service Worker
 David Seekins – Street Sweeper/Equipment Operator
 Everett Neil – Police Officer

Community Development Friday Update 1/16/2009

Planning Update				
<u>Active Projects</u>	<u>Type of Project</u>	<u>Units/Lots</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Status</u>
Med Office Lot 3 Lot Split	Lot Split	2		Under review
Nutter Lot Split	Lot Split			waiting for revisions
Lund Minor (lot split)	Split/Minor			Approved - needs revisions
Esau Sub	Minor			PC approved 12/1/08
6th St Dedication~Garnet	Plat			waiting on lien signatures
Elementary	Preliminary	13		Scheduled for PC 2/02/09
Mtn Valley Med Park				Revising landscape & site plans
Villas at Bluff	Site Dev			
Revising Standards & Specs Manual				
Writing landscape standards				
Writing park standards				
Total		15	0	

ComDev Staff	Update
Dan Reardon	1/16/09
Glen Black	1/16/09
James Shoopman	1/16/09
Lee Barber	1/16/09
Roger Christian	1/16/09

Code Enforcement Update		
	<u>Week Ending</u> <u>1/16/09</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
New cases	3	26
Closed cases	4	6
Letters of voluntary compliance	2	3

Notice of Violations	1	1
Number of Citations	0	0

Building Update

<u>Building Activity</u>	<u>Week Ending 1/15/09</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Single Family Dwelling	0	0
Mult-Family Dwelling		0
Duplex		0
Manufactured Homes		0
Town homes		0
Commercial Remodel		0
New Commercial		0
Commercial Re-roofs		0
Residential Garages / Barns / Shops		0
Carports		0
Porch / Deck Additions		0
Residential Remodel		0
Total Values	\$0.00	\$0.00
Permit Fees (Including Use Tax) Collected	\$0.00	\$0.00

Delta Police Department's Weekly Activities Report For the Period of 9-15 January 2009

Activity Year to Date	Week Ending 15 January 2009
Law Incidents:	47
	85
Traffic Citations:	
11	24
Arrests:	
11	15
DUIs:	00
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“Arrests” includes all custodial and non-custodial arrests. Custodial arrest is taken into custody and booked into the jail facility; non-custodial arrest is taken into custody and released with a summons (or penalty assessment ticket) to municipal or county court. (This report does not include any Animal Control activities).

Friday Updates For Parks Dept.

This weeks activities for the Parks Crew:

- Working on Standards and Specs. For landscaping.
- Installing new crosses at Cemetery, these were rebuilt and painted after the big vandalism last fall.
- Major clean-up on 11th street hill, Honor Camp crew coming Monday the 12 to help with the large amount of trash left on the street right of way hope to have cleaned up by the 14th.
- Getting saws ready for Main Street tree work next week.

Friday Updates Recreation and Culture

Customer Service

Facility

2009 has already started off with high attendance at the Recreation Center. Our **Gymnasium (Basketball Courts)** are filled morning thru evening. Schedule as follows:

- Wednesday 80+ kids from Home School Families come with their teams and coaches to practice for their basketball league.
 - Monday thru Friday after school our little league K-6th grade practicing for their Saturday Game Schedule.
 - Monday and Tuesday Night our Men’s or Women’s Adult League play.
- So when you think of January – February at the Recreation Center it must be B- Ball time!

The **aquatics division** is also booming with DHS Girls swim team practicing every evening. Saturday January 17th, the Pool will be closed 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. for a High School Swim Meet.

February/March 2009 Recreation Center Activity Guide came out in the High Country Shopper Wednesday January 14 with the winter programs. Check out the weekly ad in the High Country Shopper and Delta County Independent for all our Class Schedules.

Our **Conference Rooms and Activity Room** have been filled with Classes, wedding reception, dances, Eagle Scout “Court of Honor”, meetings, Banquets, Birthday celebrations and Baby Showers this January. For more information on renting our Conference Rooms, please call the Recreation Center.

Fitness

The new year arrived and with no surprise so did the people! This first week of January has brought new and familiar faces to the cardio room, weight room and all of our classes. We have also had many inquiries about personal training.

The new team training classes, Hatha Yoga, yoga for basic back care and the youth dance classes all began this week with dance fit, tae kwon do and ballroom dance beginning next week.

With great anticipation, we have plans to re-open the aerobic room next week. The new floor and paint is beautiful!

Next week the fitness instructors will be attending several "Boxing for Fitness" workshops taught by certified boxing coach, Tom Hunsinger. We hope to be ready to offer this class soon to all age levels.

Youth & Leisure

Leisure Department off to a big start in 2009.

- **Birthday Parties** - Requests for Birthday Parties are coming in non-stop, the challenge is find the needed space for these fantastic events!
- **Evening Dances** - Ray Carpenter and Country Plus will be performing for the Evening Dances on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month, call ahead for exclusion dates.
- **Alive at 25 and 55 Alive** - Defensive Driving Classes are filling fast, call ahead to get registered for:
 - Alive at 25** on February 17th
 - AARP **55 Alive** class March 10th & 11th
- **Quilting Classes** - Stop by and check out the sample of the **Stack & Whack** sewing class coming out at the end of January. This is a fun way to design your next quilt.
 - Learn how to make a quilt in **Quilting 101** which begins February 4th.
- **Sock Hop** - Families..... put on your dancin' shoes and come on down to the Recreation Center for a Sock Hop. There will be a DJ, snacks, and photos to remember this special evening on Friday January 30th.
- **High Touch Jin Acupressure Practitioner Level Workshop**, January 30, 31 and February 1st, call for class times.
- **Babysitting Class** - Kids are you looking for an opportunity to get trained for your next job, an American Red Cross Babysitting class will be held during the February break on Monday & Tuesday.

- **Cribbage Tournament** - Get registered today for the Annual City of Delta & Lee Martinson Cribbage Tournament to be held on Sunday February 22nd.

Sports

The **4th Annual Denver Nuggets Skills Challenge** was Saturday, January 3rd. This competition is free and open to boys and girls ages 7 through 14. Participants were divided into gender and age groups (age as of April 30, 2009) The Challenge is a basketball competition that allows youngsters to showcase their talents in dribbling, passing and shooting. It is a youth program produced by the Denver Nuggets, Colorado Parks & Recreation Association with support from the City of Delta. Top scorers from each age group advance to a sectional competition in Gunnison. Top sectional scorers from each age group advance to the State Championship to be in conjunction with a Denver Nuggets game at the Pepsi Center in March. There were a total of 40 children who participated in this event.

Adult basketball is in its 4th week of a 10 weeks program. Games will continue until mid march. There are 10 men's teams, who play games from 6-10 p.m. on Monday nights and the 7 Women's teams play games from 6:30-9:30 p.m. on Tuesday nights. A single elimination tournament will be held at the end of the season.

Little League Basketball just got under way this last weekend. The City of Delta's program has 215 participants which is 24 teams. There are games on Saturdays in Delta and surrounding communities for six weeks. There are a total of 72 teams in the whole program, which includes; Delta, Olathe, Hotchkiss, Paonia and Cedaredge. Most of the Delta teams practice at the recreation center Mondays-Fridays after school until about 7:00pm.

Registrations for the **7-8th grade boys and girls basketball tournaments** are now being taken. The boys will be on March 14th & 15th ... the girls' tournament will be on April 4 & 5. The deadline to register for the boys' is March 6th and the deadline to register for the girls' is March 27th. Each team is guaranteed 3 games over this fun weekend of basketball for a team fee of only \$200. The 1st Place team will receive t-shirts and individual medals and 2nd & 3rd places will receive individual awards.

Looking for a **pick-up game for people 50 & older?** Tuesday mornings beginning in January is when you are sure to find that activity at Bill Heddle's Recreation Center Gym. Come on down and get in the game, you can bring a team or just yourself and be ready for fun time every Tuesday mornings from 9-11 a.m. The only fee is regular admission to BHRC.

A **Beginning Racquetball Clinic** is going on now until January 26th. There are 8 people signed up to take lessons from Gary West. The clinics are on Mondays from 6-8 p.m.

Intermediate Racquetball Clinic is also being offered by Gary West that is already full with 8 people. It will begin on February 2nd and run for four weeks on Mondays from 6-8pm.

"Family Fun" Racquetball Clinic being offered at Bill Heddles Recreation Center. Families can enjoy learning a new game while exercising as a family. Gary West will be instructing a clinic for families on Saturday, February 28th from 10-12 p.m. The cost is \$20 per family and is limited to 4 families so sign up now.

Youth Racquetball Clinics are being offered at Bill Heddles Recreation Center. Racquetball helps kids with hand/eye coordination for all SPORTS! January 31st from 3-5 p.m. or February 14th from 3-5 p.m. are the two different dates where you can learn the game. The clinic is for ages 8-14 and the cost is \$10 for a two hour session. Sign-ups will be limited to the first 12 players so hurry and sign up now.

Registrations for The City of Delta's Spring 5 on 5 Adult Flag Football League are being taken now and until February 13. The season will begin in late February with games played at Mountain View Park on Thursday nights through early May. This is a 10 game season with a season end single elimination tournament. (All inclusive with the \$225 team fee.) Each player is also required to pay \$20 player fee and sign a roster to be eligible to play. The City will provide the flags and game balls.

This **Annual Pre-season Tune-up Softball Tournament** at Mountain View Park is on April 5th-6th. Divisions for Coed, Women's and Men's teams will be offered. The final deadline to register your team is March 27th. Register received by March 20th will receive a \$20 discount; the team fee is \$200 before March 20th and \$220 after March 20th. There is a three game guarantee for the weekend.

Spring 4 on 4 Volleyball League registrations are now being taken. The deadline is February 20th. Games will played at Bill Heddles Recreation Center on Wednesday nights beginning March 4th. A five game season with a season will conclude with a tournament with a \$75 team fee. Each player is also required to pay \$20 player fee and sign a roster to be eligible to play. The City will provide the game balls and nets.